

38435 to 38472—Continued. (Quoted notes by Mr. F. N. Meyer.)

38467 and 38468. *PINUS ARMANDI* Franchet. Pinaceæ. **Pine.**

38467. "(No. 2046a. Tungkwansien, Shensi, China. December 26, 1913.) Edible pine seeds, coming from the Tsin Range. Chinese name *Sung tsü*, meaning 'pine seeds.'"

38468. "(No. 2047a. Tahuashan, Shensi, China. December 29, 1913.) A pine, growing to medium size only; produces very large cones, full of large edible seeds, which are eagerly collected by the priests in the temples, while the cones supply an excellent fuel. Occurs on somewhat sheltered spots at altitudes of 5,000 feet and over."

38469. *AMYGDALUS PERSICA* L. Amygdalaceæ. **Peach.**
(*Prunus persica* Stokes.)

From Feicheng, Shantung, China. Collected March 26, 1914.

"(No. 2048a.) A very large clingstone peach of which grafted trees and scions are sent under No. 1213 [S. P. I. No. 38178]."

38470. *AMYGDALUS PERSICA PLATYCARPA* (Decne.) Ricker. Amygdalaceæ.
Flat peach.

"(No. 2049a.) A large variety of flat peach, said to be of light-red color, while being very juicy and sweet. Chinese name *Ta hung pien t'ao*, meaning 'large red flat peach.'"

38471 and 38472. *JUGLANS REGIA* L. Juglandaceæ. **Walnut.**

38471. From Weichutchien, south of Sianfu, Shensi, China. Collected January 22, 1914.

"(No. 2050a.) A Chinese variety of walnut of quite elongated shape, said to be grown in the Tsin Range."

38472. From Peking, China. Collected April 17, 1914.

"(No. 2051a.) A peculiar walnut with strangely deep grooves and markings, highly prized by the Chinese, who use them in pairs to fumble with in their hands to keep the finger muscles limber. Said to grow in the mountains to the north of Peking. Possibly a hybrid between *Juglans regia* and *J. mandchurica*. Chinese name *Shan ho t'ao*, meaning 'mountain walnut.'"

38473 to 38476. *COIX* spp. Poaceæ. **Job's-tears.**

From the northern Shan States, Burma. Presented by Mr. H. G. Carter, Economic Botanist to the Botanical Survey of India, Indian Museum, Calcutta, India. Received April 20, 1914. Quoted notes by Mr. Carter.

For detailed information, see Sir George Watt's account of *Coix*, published in the Agricultural Ledger No. 13, of 1904.

38473. *COIX LACRYMA-JOBI* MA-YUEN (Rom.) Stapf.

"Forma 2. No. 3b193, edible."

38474. *COIX LACRYMA-JOBI* L.

"Var. *typica*. No. 3b194. The typical Job's-tears."

38475. *COIX LACRYMA-JOBI GIGANTEA* (Koen.) Stapf.

"No. 3b196."

38476. *COIX LACRYMA-JOBI* L.

"Var. *typica*. No. 3b194. The typical Job's-tears."